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VERSION OF CLAIMS SHOWING AMENDMENTS

21. (Twice Amended) A package of individual disposable transparent covers [individually] of a predetermined size in length and width for protecting the sterility of a keyboard of a computer, each said cover comprising [a] at least one flat and transparent sheet of pliable plastic film of uniform thickness and a predetermined size in length and width to contact and protect an entire upper surface of a keyboard, said sheet inhibiting any unintentional contact between a keyboard and fingers of an operator while not impeding an operator's ability to manipulate a keyboard in a speedy and accurate manner.

22. (Amended) The package of Claim 21 wherein said at least one sheet is rectangular, having a long top edge portion, a long bottom edge portion, and two short side edge portions, a strip of adhesive along at least said top edge portion adapted to be attached along a top edge portion of a keyboard.

23. (Amended) The package of Claim 21 wherein said at least one sheet includes top and bottom edge portions, a pair of spaced strips of adhesive along respective said top and bottom edge portions adapted to be attached along elongated upper and lower portions of an upper surface of a keyboard.

24. (Twice Amended) The package of Claim 21 wherein said at least one sheet contacts and protects entire upper and bottom surfaces of a keyboard to maintain a keyboard sterile.

25. (Amended) The package of Claim 21 wherein said at least one sheet is formed with an upper member and a lower member, said upper member being adapted to overlie an upper surface of a keyboard and said lower member being adapted to underlie a bottom surface of a keyboard.

26. (Amended) The package of Claim 24 wherein said at least one sheet is formed as an envelope with an elongated opening along an elongated top edge portion.

27. (Amended) The package of Claim 24 wherein said at least one sheet is formed as an envelope with an elongated opening adjacent one corner and extending along one side edge portion and generally to a midpoint along a top edge portion.

28. (Amended) The package of Claim 21 wherein [each said cover is formed from two] said at least one sheet includes a pair of identical flat sheets of plastic film, each said sheet having an elongated top edge portion, an elongated bottom edge portion, and two short side edge portions, said sheets being fastened together along said bottom edge portion of each said sheet so as to envelop entire upper and bottom surfaces of a keyboard.

32. (Twice Amended) [A] An individual disposable transparent [individually] having a predetermined size in length and width for protecting the sterility of a keyboard of a computer, comprising a flat and transparent sheet of pliable plastic film of uniform thickness and a predetermined size in length and width to contact and overlie an entire upper surface of a keyboard, said sheet inhibiting any unintentional contact between a keyboard and fingers of an operator of a keyboard while not impeding an operator's ability to manipulate a keyboard in a speedy and accurate manner.

VERSION OF CLAIMS IN CLEAN FORM

21. (Twice Amended) A package of individual disposable transparent covers of a predetermined size in length and width for protecting the sterility of a keyboard of a computer, each said cover comprising at least one flat and transparent sheet of pliable plastic film of uniform thickness and a predetermined size in length and width to contact and protect an entire upper surface of a keyboard, said sheet inhibiting any unintentional contact between a keyboard and fingers of an operator while not impeding an operator's ability to manipulate a keyboard in a speedy and accurate manner.

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